



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006_1228A
Ya XU et al. : **Confirmation No. 6659**
Serial No. 10/587,940 : Group Art Unit 1793
Filed September 29, 2006 : Examiner Sarah Van Oudenaren
INTERMETALLIC COMPOUND Ni_3Al : **Mail Stop: RCE**
CATALYST FOR REFORMING
METHANOL AND METHANOL
REFORMING METHOD USING SAME

AMENDMENT SUBMITTED CONCURRENTLY WITH RCE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: